



# SERENDIPITY





## Young and Full of Dreams



21 years of School and College

No qualifications

Future of voluntary placement

Someone else's 'Master Plan

I wanted MORE



## Changing the Plan



2010 ....my year

Personal Budget.....not a service

Employ someone to help me..a PA

I began to realise the challenges ahead



## 2010....The reality



Major Heart Surgery

Making my dream a reality

Finding a personal assistant

Finding a business advisor

A business plan I owned



## Moving Forward.....for me

Started with £60

Investing in my business

Knowing my product

Knowing my market

Becoming a social enterprise







## Moving Forward.....for others



Employment for others

Sharing and Inspiring others

Breaking down barriers



## My advice to others

Be clear  
about what  
you want  
to do

Look for  
help and  
support



Don't give  
up no  
matter how  
hard it gets

Be  
prepared  
to  
research  
your  
products

Be  
prepared  
to make  
sacrifice

Be  
prepared  
for hard  
work

Know your  
market

# ENTREPRENEUR AWARDS

# 2012



# When I'm not in work

I have the lead role of Nancy in Oliver.



I have just started in my first film.





*I may not make a million pounds but I  
will change a million minds*